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E.O. 11652:

TAGS: OGEN, PLOS IN

SUBJECT: TRANS HURON TANKER

REF: SINGAPORE 4066, STATE 219633, STATE 219631

L. SEA TRAIN INSURERS AND UNDERWRITERS APPARENTLY ARE
PROCEEDING EXPEDITIOUSLY ON SALVAGE PLANS. ACCORDING
TO DOD, UNDERWRITERS HAVE CONTRACTED WITH L. SCHMIDT AND
COMPANY OF ROTTERDAM AND LONDON SALVAGE ASSOCIATION TO
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HANDLE SALVAGE AND POLLUTION PROBLEMS. THESE ARE HIGHLY

QUALIFIED COMPANIES; THEY AND UNDERWRITERS WILL HAVE
STRONG INTEREST IN EXPEDITIOUS SALVAGE IN ORDER LIMIT
DAMAGES. (DOD INFO COMES FROM MIL SEALIFT COMMAND)

2. WE SEE NO OBJECTION YOUR CONVEYING INFORMATION CON-
TAINED PARA ONE TO GOI ON INFORMAL BASIS, NOTING OUR
ASSUMPTION INDIANS ARE KEEPING IN CLOSE TOUCH WITH
SEATRAN AND UNDERWRITERS REGARDING SALVAGE PLANS. YOU
OF COURSE SHOULD CONTINUE TO STRESS THAT US INTEREST
IS SOLELY AS FRIENDLY PARTY AND IN NO WAY IMPLIES ANY
RPT ANY ASSUMPTION OF LEGAL RESPONSIBILITY ON PART OF
USG.

3. CONTINGENCY PRESS GUIDANCE CONTAINED STATE 219631
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